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## DAILY WEATHER REPORT

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## PRESERVATION OF FREEDOM OF THE INDIVIDUAL AND SOLVENCY OF U. S. IS THE PARAMOUNT ELECTION ISSUE

**Governor Edward Martin Addresses Meeting of Republican State Committee at Pittsburgh—"A People Cannot Be Free Unless Their Government is Sound Financially," Says Speaker.**

Following is the text of the keynote speech of Governor Edward Martin, candidate for U. S. Senate, delivered Saturday at Pittsburgh opening the Fall campaign of the Republican Party:

We are here to launch the Republican Campaign of 1946. Our platform has been adopted. Our candidates have been nominated. They are outstanding men and women. Everyone on our ticket deserves the full support of every American believing in our way of life.

We are ready for the opening gun. Will that "shot be heard around the world?" It may, because this campaign has momentous issues. They not only affect the future of Pennsylvania and this Nation but the races of the earth who are groping for peace, justice and leadership.

You have all been my very close friends and I intend to speak very frankly because I am concerned about our country.

The paramount issue in this election is the preservation of the freedom of the individual and the solvency of our country. An insolvent government will die. A people cannot be free unless their government is sound financially.

A government can only be solvent when it spends less money than it receives in taxes. Continuous deficit financing can only lead to confusion, chaos and destruction.

The State issues have been plainly stated. Our opponents have provided us with a horrible example still vivid in our memories of four years of misrule, extravagance and scandal. We never want to see its remain.

**INTERNATIONAL**

## HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

**Activities of Interest To All in The Various Communities**

## GLEANED BY SCRIBES

Members and guests of Quakertown Rotary Club on Wednesday evening heard Dr. Louise J. Lee, a native of China, a physician and educator, of Lansdale.

Dr. Lee was graduated from Peking Union Medical College, China, in 1929, and took post graduate work at Jefferson Medical College and Women's Hospital, Philadelphia, in 1932. Thirteen years ago she became a teacher of obstetrics and gynecology in China and taught at the "Yale in China" University for ten years. During the war she founded two maternity hospitals in China and returned to America in 1945.

A number of the wives of the Quakertown Rotarians attended the meeting to hear Dr. Lee's account of the attitude of the Chinese people toward democracy, which their

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## A SUMMARY OF THE NEWS

A one-month postponement of the meeting of the United Nations General Assembly has been asked on behalf of the Russian, French, Chinese and Belgian delegations to the Paris conference. The United States delegation, while not joining in the request, made no objection.

Six American soldiers and a British officer were wounded by a hand grenade thrown while they were breaking up a forbidden pro-Yugoslav demonstration in Trieste. At least a dozen civilians were hurt.

Poles in Warsaw, protesting against Secretary Byrnes' suggestion that Germany's eastern boundaries might be revised, demonstrated before Ambassador Lane's hotel and set fire to Vice Premier Mikolajczyk's newspaper plant.

Bulgarians voted overwhelmingly to depose the monarchy and substitute a republic. Communal elections in the Russian zone of Germany disclosed an incomplete returns a stronger anti-Socialist Unity vote in Thuringia and Saxony than was manifested last week in other areas.

Details of the Swedish-Soviet trade pact, which the Swedes insist will not freeze trade between those countries, reveal a mutual exchange of 100,000,000 crowns of goods yearly for five years and a 1,000,000,000 crown credit to Moscow.

China does not want a vengeful

## Inside Your Congress

### What Molotov Forgot

—by—

**SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL**  
"The Gentleman from Indiana"

"Fascism is a matter of taste" Molotov shrugged when Mussolini was building guns. It is this same Molotov and his chocolate soldier, Tito, who now demand that Italy be stripped to rags.

When Matteotti and other Italian patriots were being butchered, the present purists in Moscow were wining and dining the fascist consuls in Russia and giving them prestige. When Mussolini attacked Ethiopia, it was not the present leaders of Italy who supported that brutal venture. No, it was Molotov's government which supplied it with oil and wheat.

When Mussolini stabbed France in the back in 1940—one year before Hitler stabbed Russia—was there any faint word of protest from Moscow? No, it was then that Stalin gave Hitler a free hand and supplies. It was then that Molotov's master gave Japan's militarists the go-sign.

It was then that this Molotov person said (October 31, 1939), "It is not only senseless but criminal to wage a war for the destruction of Hitlerism" camouflaged as a fight

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## On Tragic Mission

## Parking Meter Ordinance Will Be Effective Tomorrow

The work of installation of parking meters here has been completed and the borough ordinance governing the operation of the meters will become effective tomorrow morning.

Workmen arrived in Bristol late Saturday morning and began attaching the meters to the posts which had been previously installed. Thus work was completed early yesterday.

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**CLEVELAND'S JAIL CLINIC**

Cleveland has inaugurated a program under which all drunks and vagrants arrested in the Ohio city are to be examined physically immediately in the new city jail clinic. It was established because too many arrested persons had died in jail who should have been treated in hospitals.

It is believed that the new program will also safeguard public health because communicable diseases afflicting persons arrested will be discovered. A physician will be on hand in the jail clinic and will decide at once whether a man is drunk or is a victim of disease or suffered an injury. His staff will include a nurse and an X-ray technician.

It is well known that a person untrained in medical science cannot detect upon mere observation whether a person who is unconscious or semi-conscious is the victim of alcohol or is sick or suffering from a serious injury.

The plan benefits the police because they no longer need to be in doubt about such a matter. It is well known that when a person arrested for being drunk dies in a police cell, the public is inclined to blame the police for not having been more diligent in ascertaining the facts.

That the plan will safeguard public health is obvious. A person suffering from active tuberculosis, for instance, can give the disease to many other persons. Since many down-and-outers do not get sufficient food, they are especially vulnerable to tuberculosis and other diseases.

The Cleveland plan is not applicable to all communities, because of the cost, but it should be in effect in every city of 50,000 or more population.

**JOHN STEUART CURRY**

The death of John Steuart Curry at the age of 48 is a tragic loss to American art. His work, like those of most other leading painters of his time, has been alternately hailed and assailed by a public and by critics sharply divided over what is good and what is bad or mediocre art. But there is no denying his imagination and the sharp impact that he had on American painting of his generation.

Mr. Curry was one of a trio of Middle Western artists, including Thomas Hart Benton and the late Grant Wood, who led the revival of painting of the American scene.

In common with most other artists of his time he went to Paris to study with the masters of modern art congregated there. But he was uncertain and unhappy abroad and it was not until he returned to his native Kansas in 1931 that he found himself and began turning out the canvases and water colors which brought him fame.

These paintings were realistic but it was realism of a harsh and violent sort rather than the romantic pastoral quality that marked much of American painting in the past. In such paintings as "Baptism in Kansas," "Tornado," and his John Brown he portrayed people, the soil, and the forces of nature with a stern beauty mingled with a bursting vitality and power.

**ECHOES OF THE PAST**

(By Courier Staff Member)

Review of the news as it appeared in the Bucks County Gazette issue dated at Bristol June 22, 1893. The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published in Bristol, was discontinued following its merger with the Courier.

Daniel McPadden has been added to the police force of the borough.

Wildman's carriage shops at Oxford Valley were burned last Friday.

The commencement exercises of Bristol high school will be held in the Baptist Church on Friday evening, June 26th.

Tuesday was the hottest day of the season. In some parts of the borough the mercury rose to over 100 degrees in the shade.

Several workmen on Landreth's seed farm, Bloomsdale, were overcome by the heat on Tuesday.

The board of school directors of Morrisville, at a special meeting held on Saturday evening, decided to purchase the property of Mrs. Young for a site for the new school house. As they have now decided on the site the house will be built this year, so that the school will soon have accommodations for the children. The borough has grown so in the last year or so that the present school rooms would not accommodate the children, and it is the intention of the directors to build in view of increasing population.

(Following items from Gazette of July 27, 1893.)

The steamboat "Columbia" leaves Philadelphia today at two p.m. and will run through to Burlington without making any stops. She expects to make the trip in 50 minutes.

A lodge of Independent Order of Foresters was instituted in Bristol last Monday night. Twenty charter members were present.

At the meeting of the Bucks County Historical Society in Menlo Park, Perkasie, the Rev. D. K. Turner, D. D., of Hartsville, presented an interesting paper on the Bucks County jail. He said the first court in Bucks County was held in the house of Gilbert Miller, in Falls Township. The jail was erected in Bristol in 1769. It contained a whipping post and gallows. The first execution in Bucks County was in 1693. There have been only five murderers hanged in the history of the county, extending over 200 years.

The Bristol Cemetery Company proposes to erect a chapel on the grounds this year.

Mill street is being repaved with broken stone.

(Following items from Gazette of July 29, 1893.)

An old mansion used to stand at

**Inside Your Congress**

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for "democracy." It was then that Congressman Marantonio was voting against all appropriations for the defense of America.

Yet, it is this same Molotov, this pure angel of peace from the Red paradise, who now lectures the western world on ethics, morals, and manners as he demands his pound of flesh from beaten foes—beaten, not by the Red Army but by England and the United States, aided by the forces of resistance on the inside who risked their lives or spent years in jail in exile while Stalin and Molotov gave aid and comfort to those ravaging their liberty.

As the secret record unfolds, our people will read with increasing amazement how President Roosevelt was "taken in" by "Marshal Stalin" of the "peace-loving democracy" of the Kremlin; how he helped build up the treacherous masters of the great Russian people to a position where they can threaten the peace of five continents.

For, Roosevelt once denounced Russia as a dictatorship as absolute as any in the world. That was in 1939, when Stalin attacked Finland and "Finland forever" was popular in these States. It was not long after, however, that Roosevelt dismissed Finland's minister in Washington, fearing Stalin with the help of Hitler, and England declared war on Finland.

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**Here and There in Bucks County Towns**

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the lower end of Burlington Island. It is said to have been the first house built on the Delaware north of Chester. It was constructed in the year 1688. . . .

The commencement exercises of the Jr. O. U. A. M. took place last Thursday evening. The following were installed by J. T. Elmer, deputy state councilor of Frankford; M. G. Hibbs, Jr., p. c.; Alexander Morrison, councilor; Walter Merritt, vice councilor; H. G. Young, secretary; Harry Quicksall, ass't secretary; Fred F. Quicksall, treasurer; William L. Bell, financial secretary.

China, Dr. Lee said, is divided into many tribes or subdivisions, of which the leading ones are Manchuria, Mongolia, Chinese Tartaria and Tibet. China, she said, does not have a caste system like India, but the people are divided into five groups according to their occupation as follows: Scholars, farmers, laborers or coolies, merchants and soldiers.

Dr. Lee declared that China is the oldest country that still exists as it did 3,000 years ago, and modern civilization did not enter there until about 80 years ago.

Fifty-one persons attended the business meeting of the Friendship Thimble Social at the home of Mrs. Horace Overholt, Doylestown, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Overholt was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Clarence Rosenberger.

The meeting, which was in charge of the president, Mrs. A. C. LaRue, was featured by the election of one new member and the presentation of routine reports.

Opening ceremonies included singing, prayer by Mrs. LaRue, a reading from the booklet, "The Upper Room," by Mrs. Harvey Davies and the reading of an original poem by Mrs. Albert E. Spratt.

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The Misses Ruth Shapcott and

Joanne Bartoe presented reports of sessions of the Youth Fellowship Institute which they recently attended at Ursinus College, Collegeville, before members of Neshaminy Methodist Sunday School yesterday morning.

Mrs. Charles Smith, Newportville, will have as guests at her home tomorrow evening members of her card club.

The Neshaminy Methodist Sunday School Board will conduct a session in the church this evening at 7:30.

Members of William Penn Fire Co. have been invited to attend a meeting of Lower Bucks County Marine Association at headquarters of Bucks County Rescue Squad, Croydon, Thursday evening at eight o'clock.

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**Miss Stallone and N. Angelella Wed**

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bonfiant type, and the gowns buttoned down the backs to points below the waistline. The bridesmaids wore silver slippers, and the junior maids gold slippers. Tiaras of beads matched their individual gowns; and all carried yellow roses with ribbon bows contrasting with the colors of their costumes.

Mr. John Quattrochi was best man for Mr. Angelella; with ushers including Messrs. Louis Angelella, Jr., and Anthony Marino, Dorance street, brother and cousin of the groom, respectively.

With 200 served, a dinner and reception took place at Roman Hall, Trenton, N. J., the newlyweds then leaving for Florida. The bride's travelling costume consisted of a two-piece gray wool suit, the coat being a belted model with button trim; pink blouse, black hat with pink feathers, black slippers, white gloves, and the orchids which she carried at her wedding ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Angelella will reside with the bride's parents.

Gifts of the bride to her bridesmaids were gold bracelets; and to the junior bridesmaids, single strand pearl necklaces. Mr. Angelella gave his best man and ushers gifts of wallet.

The mothers of the bride and groom were attired for the ceremony in black dresses, black accessories, and wore gardenia corsages.

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By TRACY ADRIAN

A preview of wools for the coming turn of the season shows much to-do about gray flannel which this year gets out of the strict coat and skirt starkness, and into dandy soft-suit suits. There are lots of Eisenhower battle jacket sleeves, which look soft and not military; gilt and silver braid and buttons, ditto; Regency flares, lapels and pockets.

Another wool fashion which comes up fresh is that of the all-wool coat, full length, which is not fur-trimmed. The model photographed here, although it shows the leopard's spots, is typical. (This coat would be handsome without the fur.) The point of fashion is that one can wear fur neckpieces with coats not already fur bearing, or the new wool shawls that look mighty smart.

You Can Have This Suede cloth winter coat in wine, black, brown or green . . . with leopard or Persian lamb trim. Full bishop sleeves.



For the 9 to 15 Girl, this yarn-dyed gray suede cloth coat with its ruched, small waistline with fullness above and below tie. Flat collar.



That Fashionable Standby, gray flannel, makes this suit in rather soft manner than usual. Shirt-cuffed, buttoned sleeves, flange pockets.

#### Take Steps To Relieve Sellersville Flood Menace

SELLERSVILLE, Sept. 9—Immediate steps to help relieve Sellersville flood conditions were taken at a meeting of the Sellersville borough council.

The borough will change the flow of water leading into the small stream parallel to the trolley tracks where most of the flood damage occurs. The water will then lead directly into Lenape Creek.

Borough officials together with state engineers studied the problem and decided this will control the damage resulting from the overflow of this small stream.

Council also studied the plan ofimiting Walnut street to one-way motor traffic. Traffic on Walnut will be eastbound only while traffic on Temple will be both ways. Donaldneeding your "Don't Wants."

#### 14 Sent Into the Armed Forces By Board No. 4

QUAKERTOWN, Sept. 9—Following a "draft holiday," Bucks County Selective Service Boards are again calling young men to the colors.

Local Board No. 4 announces 14 selectees who were inducted this week. They are: Ernest M. Bates, Riegelsville RD 1; Thomas F. Hersh, 135 N. Van-Buren st., Allentown, formerly of Quakertown; Wayne R. Harr, 109 E. Broad st., Quakertown; Warren W. Fair, Ferndale; Frederick Dinning, Springtown; Paul Haney, 135 S. 13th st., Easton, formerly of Springtown; William Haney, Jr., Upper Black Eddy; Benjamin F. Steely, 324 Third st., Perkasie; William Nast, Ottsville RD 1; Raymond W. Kurtz, 147 S. Third st., Quakertown; Edward Sroka, Barto, formerly of Quakertown RD 1;

Franklin L. Cole, Perkasie RD 1; Richard F. Moyer, Perkasie; Harry W. Lewis, 14 Fairview ave., Quakertown.

The following were inducted at Pearl Harbor recently: Lincoln H. Groff, Honolulu, formerly of Perkasie; Theodore H. Groff, Honolulu, formerly of Perkasie; Robert G. Moyer, Honolulu, formerly of Sellersville.

The following enlistments from this area have been reported: Clarence L. Benner, Spinnerstown Army; Claude C. Greaser, Quakertown RD 2, Army; John J. Taber Jr., Ottsville, Army.

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#### Power Plant Work May Be Delayed At Perkasie

PERKASIE, Sept. 9—Superintendent William E. Fox, of the Perkasie municipal electric plant, suggested to Perkasie Borough Council, at its recent meeting, that it contact the Pennsylvania Power and Light Company on purchasing larger quantities of power until construction costs have reached a more normal level. The cost of expanding the electric power system is reaching such proportions, he told the group, that final costs will exceed previous estimates.

If council follows Fox's suggestion the major expansion program of the power plant will be postponed.

The zoning ordinance was discussed and a committee of ten will be formed to study the problem. The remodeling of buildings, such as garages, into homes, has presented many problems concerning the zoning ordinance. The law is not specific as to who can build and who cannot, some of the members reported. The committee, formed of five council members and five other citizens, will present a detailed report on the zoning problem.

Paul Mood, Democrat of the Second Ward, was unanimously elected to succeed Melvin Freed, Republican, who resigned from the council recently in a dispute over the power plant expansion program. Mood was Freed's opponent in the 1943 election. There are now six Democrats and three Republicans on council.

Fox also presented a plan to the electric committee for the Christmas holiday decorations. The Chamber of Commerce had already submitted a plan and the two will be studied by the committee.

Flood water conditions in the Third Ward were discussed and some measures will be taken to ease conditions at Main and Walnut streets.

The earnings of the electric light plant for August were \$794.

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#### APPOINT SMYTHE RED CROSS CHAPTER MGR.

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#### SUCCEEDS SCHAFER

Robert J. Smythe, Assistant Executive Director, New York Chapter, American Red Cross, has been appointed Manager of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter. It was announced today by Benjamin Rush, Jr., local chairman. Formerly he was Assistant Manager in charge of Fund Raising and Public Information for the North Atlantic Area. He succeeds A. L. Schaefer, who has been appointed Director of the Convention Office at the organization's national headquarters, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Smythe, who is 42, received his A. B. degree from Princeton in 1926 and later attended the American Institute of Banking, Columbia University and the New York School of Social Work. He has had many years of experience in community organization, public relations and fund raising campaigns.

For two years Mr. Smythe was an Assistant Director of the Greater New York Fund, the largest fund raising organization in New York City. In May 1941 he became Director of Roll Call and Fund Raising for the Brooklyn (N. Y.) Red Cross Chapter, during which time the chapter raised over \$1,000,000 and greatly expanded its services to the community.

In addition to his fund raising activities Mr. Smythe organized a Blood Donor enrollment program for the chapter. Red Cross volunteers went into industries, business organizations, clubs and fraternal groups to enroll blood donors. The response to these appeals more than filled the chapter's quota and resulted in a waiting list of donors.

When wool, rayon, and cotton shortages assumed serious proportions, Mr. Smythe established a Clothing Scrap Conservation program for the chapter whereby department stores, retailers and clothing manufacturers donated remnants for re-channeling to mills. This program is now used as a model for many Red Cross chapters engaged in scrap conservation.

UPPER DARBY (INS)—Police are searching for Delaware County's "sandman" robber. Police said the thief threw a handful of sand into the eyes of Effie Vining, grabbed her purse and fled.

#### TWINS FOLLOW TRIPLETS AFTER FOURTEEN MONTHS

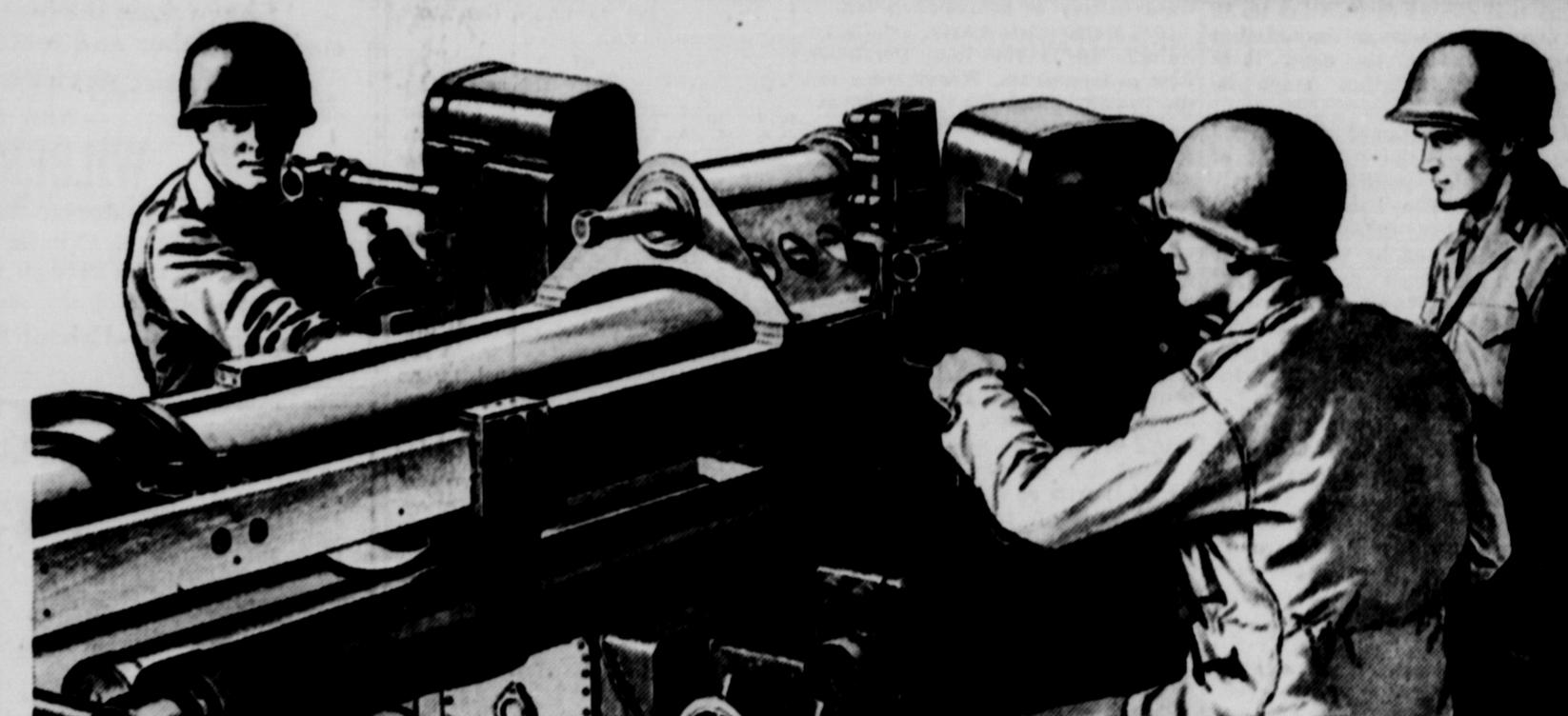


PROUD PAPA Raymond Macatee, of Philadelphia, smokes a big cigar and puffs out his chest as he shows off his family. His wife, Betty, holds her two-week-old twins, Dolores and Bernadette, who arrived fourteen months after triplets (l. to r.) Betty Ann, Rose Mary and Ilene Marie. (International Soundphoto)

IS SHOPPING A PAIN IN THE NECK?

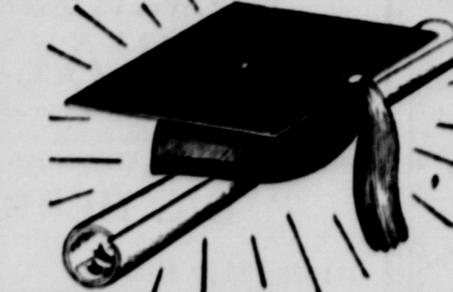


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## Preservation of Freedom of The Individual and Solvency of U. S. is The Paramount Issue in the Coming Election

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cleave to the inspired doctrines upon which all past American success was founded?

For such questions, this is truly a Year of Decision."

These issues transcend the ambitions of parties and individual candidates. They have split the Democratic Party into two warring factions. We see the pitiful picture of some of the leaders of the Democratic Party severing all their ties with traditions and the philosophy of the Constitution for the purpose of holding power. We see this once-proud political party meekly placing its fate and future in the hands of a pressure machine that boasts of being "non-political."

The real fight between Communism and Americanism is the personal rights of the American citizen. The Declaration of Independence calls those rights "unalienable." The Constitution lists those rights and guarantees them.

The Communists and near-Communists hold that no man has rights which bar the government from doing whatever it pleases.

A Democratic victory this year, in which the PAC and the New Deal would win control of Congress, would be a "mandate" to put that philosophy of slavery into effect.

We do not contend that all Democrats—or New Dealers—are Communists; but we do say that in this election, all Communists are Democrats; and they are the ones who stand to gain by a Democratic victory.

To retain our constitutional guarantees of individual freedom we must have a solid working Republic majority in Congress.

We have seen the manner in which our deadlocked national government is drifting. Let us examine these drifts, and try to see the effect which a Republican Congress will have upon them.

There are two dangerous trends which the national government is unwilling or unable to check. One of these is the breakdown of finances. The other is the breakdown of the integrity of the government. Financial breakdown has forced itself upon the attention of the American people under the name of inflation.

It is a healthy sign that the American people realize the dangers of inflation, but misfortune that they associate it only with prices and wages.

The real causes of inflation lie in the financial policies of the national government. It is the debt. It is there that inflation must be stopped.

We fear the national government does not know the full extent of the debt it has saddled on the American people. The bonded debt is only a part of it. Other obligations have been created by watering the currency; by vast extensions of public credit at home and abroad; by unsecured loans; by underwriting the international banking agencies; and by huge, unfinanced insurance schemes.

For months, the Republican Party has demanded an audit of these accounts, so the American people may know how much we owe. Democratic leaders of national standing have joined in this plea. Apparently the White House believes that such matters are none of the public's business.

There must be a complete audit of the United States. This must include Social Security, pump-priming, public projects, and the cost of the war itself.

It is almost self-evident that any man opposed to a full, honest and open investigation must have something to hide.

We do not need the exact figures to see the over-all picture of our financial dilemma, nor to understand why inflation is the inevitable

result and will continue to be so until the policies are changed.

The United States Government now owes more than the combined total of all the resources of all the American people.

An individual who gets hopelessly in debt can go into the courts. With a government, it is not so simple, and the loss would fall, not upon the government itself but upon the American people.

Congress is the guardian of the purse-strings. They must be drawn tight. This can be done only through the election of a Republican majority in Congress.

To those who say that a Republican Congress will create a deadlock the answer is that the deadlock is already here.

There have been many times when Congress was of one party and the President of another, and the public well-being did not suffer. Congress has its tasks; the President has his duties.

In the desperation of a campaign, the opposition will say that "the Republicans can't be trusted."

This statement is disproven by the Republican Party's glorious and successful past. Today half the States have Republican Administrations which are functioning efficiently. Nearly two-thirds of the American population is living under Republican Governors.

These Republican States have met and conquered financial and social problems in which the New Deal national government has failed.

There is no justification for spending forty billions during the coming year.

Our budget problems could have been met within a matter of weeks after the war ended. President Truman did not even need the help of Congress. He needs Congress' sanction to spend money, but not to save it.

His war powers could have been used to slash appropriations back to war levels, in everything except the costs of carrying the national debt, policing occupied territory and caring for the veterans. This was not done.

A year ago this week President Truman delivered his first postwar message to Congress. Because he had gone to the White House from the U. S. Senate, Congress and the country expected he would cooperate with the legislative branch under the pattern called for by the Constitution.

And because the financial peril of top-heavy debt were so obvious, the Nation assumed he would courageously meet this problem.

The President's message blasted the hopes in both directions. He presented a radical program of Socialistic schemes, blended to suit the tastes of Left-Wing P. A. C. forces.

As for finances, he clearly disregarded the public debt and, to continue to rely on deficit-financing.

The Democratic Party, briefly reunited, under the new President, flew to fragments. Never since has the President enjoyed the confidence and support of the Democratic majority in Congress.

The national deadlock began. Suited the President protested that Congress has let him down. Congress has tried to function on its own. The President has vetoed its measures even when the outstanding leaders of his party have begged for their approval.

The failure of the President to provide for retiring the national debt was the start of the present spiral of inflation.

Until it is checked at its source, inflation will continue, with a rising wave of labor crises over steadily mounting prices. The end of such a drift is obvious. Something will break. Either our economy or our institutions of government will collapse.

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## Late Summer Wedding Is Saturday Event at Croydon

CROYDON, Sept. 9—A late summer wedding was solemnized on Saturday at one p. m. in St. Thomas Aquinas R. C. Church when Miss Madeline Catherine Stutz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Stutz of Croydon, became the bride of Mr. Christopher Weber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Christ Weber, of Bristol. The Rev. Fr. Rogers officiated at the double ring ceremony. Miss Elizabeth Tryon, organist, played "Ave Maria."

Mr. Stutz gave his daughter in marriage.

Miss Regina Stutz, sister of the bride, was her one attendant. She was gowned in a dress of poudre blue net over taffeta. The bodice was trimmed in soutache braid. The dress was styled with short sleeves and V-neckline. A blue net head-dress and silver slippers completed her attire. She carried a bouquet of yellow tea roses.

Mr. Weber's attendant was Mr. Nicholas Mislan, of Morrisville.

The bride's gown was of net over satin, it being cut with a V-neckline and short sleeves. The bodice was trimmed in white soutache braid. She wore a finger-tip veil which was held by a beaded thara. Lace mitts and white kid slippers completed her costume. Her bridal bouquet was of white rosebuds.

Mrs. Stutz, mother of the bride, wore a street dress of navy blue crepe. She wore a white carnation corsage. Mrs. Weber was attired in a black suit with red rosebud corsage.

A reception was held for the immediate family at the Stutz home following the ceremony.

The couple will spend their honeymoon at Atlantic City, N. J. Mrs. Weber's traveling costume consists of a green gabardine suit, brown felt hat, lizard bag and slippers.

The couple will reside at Bristol Terrace II.

### In a Personal Way

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol: their goings and comings, etc.

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 816, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony.

Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Miss Grace Chambers, who spent the summer at her home in Lock Haven, returned to Bristol and is residing on Beaver street.

Mrs. R. Birkett, Philadelphia, has returned to her home after spending a week with Mrs. M. Heaton, Washington street.

Mrs. Angelo Niccol and family, who spent several weeks near Seaside, N. J., have returned to their home on Jackson street.

Miss Ruth Bailey, Jackson street is a patient in the Northeastern Hospital, Philadelphia, where she was operated upon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Collins, Mr. and Mrs. John Waters, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, Mr. and Mrs. William Gillies, Mr. and Mrs. Donald

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Guests during the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dugan, Bath Road, were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lasota, Glenolden; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodleaf and daughter Barbara Ann, Mrs. Thomas Witonski and son, Thomas, Ridley Park; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Babicki, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Karaba, Chester; Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Eloski, Essington and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Popiel, Conshohocken.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanDalen and son Henry, Jackson street, entertained at their home last week. Mr. and Mrs. James VanDongen and Mrs. C. Polderman, Clifton, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Martin VanRooye, Long Island; Mr. and Mrs. Marinus VanDalen, Jackson street, and Miss Blanche Gillies, East Circle.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sacks and family, Bath road, spent a day last week with relatives in Zieglersville and Norristown. Guests during the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Sacks were Mrs. Anna Moran, Dorrance street; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schwartz, Bath Road, and Mr. and Mrs. George Kenworthy, and family, Norristown.

Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd, Sr., Beaver street, and the Misses Janebelle and Evelyn Crosby, Harrison street, spent a few days last week at Mt. Carmel, with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Zimmerman, Mrs. Zimmerman and John Boyd, St. Clair, returned home with the Boyds for several days visit.

William White, Jackson street, returned home after spending a week in Waterbury, Conn., with Kenneth Sickler. Mr. and Mrs. William White and daughter Joyce spent a few days at the Sickler home. William also spent a few days last week in Seaside, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. White and daughter, Mrs. Walter Poulette and daughter Audrey, Jackson street, and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mitchener and son Harold, Swain street, spent several days last week in Pompton Lakes, N. J., with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. William Halpin, Roosevelt street, left last week for San Diego, Cal.

Pfc. Leo Popkin, who is stationed at Ashville, N. C., is visiting at his home on Farragut avenue, for 30 days' furlough.

Henry Most, Merchantville, N. J., has been spending the past week

### Today's Quiet Moment

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By Rev. J. H. Queen  
Pastor  
Bethel A. M. E. Church, Bristol

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Eternal God our Father we pray for the church. Its place in life is challenged by bold forces of sin. Its leadership in the world is questioned by pretentious unbelief. Forgive us if we have contributed to its peril by indifference or carelessness.

Make today the turning point whereon fresh faith and determined support is reborn. May there stream through its radiance thy redeeming love. May it bring forth as the morning in new hope for this distraught world through Jesus. Amen.

Arthur Hagerman, Jackson street, spent a day in Seaside with Mr. and Mrs. William Miller. While there, they celebrated Mrs. Miller's birthday and Mr. and Mrs. Miller's wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Harvey Houser, Fourth avenue, is confined to her home by illness.

### EDGELY

Mr. and Mrs. Evald Caulwine enjoyed the week-end at Seaside Heights, N. J.

### Events for Tonight

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Arthur Hagerman, Jackson street,

spent a day in Seaside with Mr. and

Mrs. William Miller. While there,

they celebrated Mrs. Miller's birth-

day and Mr. and Mrs. Miller's wed-

ding anniversary.

Mrs. Harvey Houser, Fourth avenue, is confined to her home by

illness.

### CROYDON

Mrs. Richard Jones and grandson, "Ronnie" Erb, were visiting Mrs. Elmer Bennett for two days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bennett and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pluma

and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fehan,

Croydon, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond

Pluma, of Bristol, visited Mr. and

Mrs. George Fry, Hatboro, on Sept.

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## PETERMAN MAKES A CLEAN SWEEP OF OUTBOARD EVENTS

**Bronx Boatman Races To Victory in All Class I Events**

**SLOWER THAN BEFORE**

**Edwards Again Cleans Up In Three Events In Class II**

**EDDINGTON, Sept. 9 — "GIL" Peterman, of the Bronx, again made a clean sweep of all the Class I events yesterday in the outboard races at the Neshaminy Aquadrome.**

It was the second consecutive week that Peterman won first place in the 2 mile, 2½ mile and three mile classics. He was slower than last week in the 8-laps race but he bettered his time by 12 seconds in the 10-lap heat and in the feature event clipped 13 seconds off last week's mark.

In the Class II events, Walter "Doc" Edwards again cleaned up in the three events. Last week, Edwards, the Kensington racer, won the final two races after placing second in the first heat so now he has won five straight events.

By setting up a good average in the heat trials and placing second in two of the events, Francis "Doc" Williams, the local aspirant for the crown, maintained his second position in the point scoring.

Including yesterday's trials and placing in the events, "Doc" Edwards has 751 points for the season. Williams is second with 628 while Gil Peterman has climbed to third place with a 586.

In the feature event of Class I, Jack Schidell, of Oreland, had a narrow escape. On the 11th lap while rounding a buoy, Ed VanHouten cut into Schidell's boat and tipped it enough to knock Schidell clean out into the water. Schidell made a grab for the boat and missed it and he remained in the water while his boat went wild. Only three racers finished this race as Watkins and Shannon had been forced out of the race because of motor trouble.

In the second heat of Class I, Ed VanHouten and "Doc" Williams had a photo finish for second place. Finally, VanHouten was awarded the position.

Ray Shilling, of Kensington, and "Dutch" Soliday, of Middlesex, N. J., had a tight fight for second place in the second heat of Class II with Shilling finally winning out, by about six inches.

The Bowers brothers, "Bill" and "Ray," of Seabright, N. J., both finished fourth in their heat races of Class II.

The winners:

**CLASS I**

First heat, 8 laps—1st, Gil Peterman, Bronx; 2nd, "Doc" Williams, Eddington; 3rd, Jack Schidell, Oreland; 4th, Ed VanHouten, Carney, N. J. Time—3:47.6.

Second heat, 10 laps—1st, Peterman; 2nd, VanHouten; 3rd, Williams; 4th, Schidell. Time—4:21.8.

Feature, 12 laps—1st, Peterman; 2nd, Williams; 3rd, VanHouten. Time—5:28.6.

First heat, 8 laps—1st, "Doc" Edwards, Kensington; 2nd, Ray Shilling, Kensington; 3rd, "Jim" Baden, Washington, D. C.; 4th, Robert "Dutch" Soliday, Middlesex, N. J. Time—3:44.6.

Second heat, 10 laps—1st, Edwards; 2nd, Shilling; 3rd, Soliday; 4th, "Bill" Bowers, Seabright, N. J. Time—4:16.4.

Feature, 12 laps—1st, Edwards; 2nd, Baden; 3rd, Tom Cundy, Westville, N. J.; 4th, Ray Bowers, Seabright, N. J. Time—5 min. flat.

**Bridegroom and Six Guests Stricken Ill**

**Continued from Page One**

Miss Helen Weber, Bristol, sister of the bridegroom.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Mislan, Morrisville, brother-in-law and sister of the bridegroom.

Joseph Stutz, Philadelphia, uncle of the bride.

Mrs. Ernest Steineck, Philadelphia.

All seven were stricken ill during the early evening within an hour or 1½ hours of each other. A physician was summoned, and then the group was taken to the hospital. The seven returned to their homes yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Weber and bride, due to illness of the groom, were unable to leave Saturday for Atlantic City, N. J., for their honeymoon, but plan to go to that resort late today.

No report on the food analysis has been received as yet by the attending physician, it is stated.

## BALL-HANDLER

**By Jack Sords**



## ST. ANN'S TAKES LEAD IN "SUB" PLAYOFFS

**"Joe" Berry Loses Heart-breaker After Doing Noble Work On The Mound**

## HE FANS 7 BATTERS

Although held to three hits, St. Ann's A. A. took the lead in the play-off series of the Bristol Suburban League by whitewashing the Hibernians, 2-0, yesterday afternoon, on the Maple Beach field before another estimated 3,500 crowd. St. Ann's now lead two games to one.

The tilt was a heart-breaker for Joe Berry, the Hibs' moundsman to lose as Joe's fast ball did not work all afternoon. But Berry had himself to blame for the first St. Ann's run while the second tally was the only earned run of the fracs and was the result of a triple, one of the three hits.

Berry fanned seven batters but he again leaned on the wild side as he walked four batters and hit another with a pitched ball. The Hibs committed three errors but only one, made by Berry himself, helped in the St. Ann's scoring.

The Hibs had seven hits off the left-handed slants of "Danny" Keegan but whenever he was in a jam, Keegan's mates came to his rescue and in the first two frames he was aided by two fast double plays which if failures would have meant' Hibernians' runs. From the fourth inning on, Keegan pitched although his stomach was bothering him. Manager Scordia offered to replace him on the mound but the Burling ton boy insisted on staying in there.

The pain in his stomach failed to stop him as in the last five innings the Hibs made but three hits off his delivery.

The only batter of the afternoon to get more than one hit in the tilt was "Billy" Gallagher. Gallagher lined a clean hit to right in the first inning and in the eighth, he slapped a bingle which Mari stopped but could not recover in time to get the runner.

Further announcements will be made later in the week.

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## SOFTBALL TEAMS TO BATTLE FOR HONORS

Tonight on Leedom's Field the first night softball game will be played in this section when the "Upper" and "Lower" Sections of the Lower Bucks Church Softball League will meet in an "All-Star" game, which is scheduled to get under way at 8:45.

The lights are to be supplied by the No. 2 Fire Company. According to pre-arranged plans, two large floodlights will be placed on each of six ladders, two of which will be placed between first and home, two more between home and third, and one each out behind first and third along the foul line. Then a truck, which will supply the current with two generators, is to be located in center field. It, too, will have two lights above it.

The League is split into two divisions of four teams each with the churches from Bristol designated as the "Upper" Section, while the four "out-of-town" clubs make up the "Lower" Section. Each of the four teams in both sections have four members representing them on the "All-Star" team. These were selected via balloting among the players of each team. The managers for the game were picked by the representatives of each of the four teams from each section. According to the rules governing the game every player selected for the team is to play a minimum of 3 innings. Thus everyone named to the "All-Star" team will see action.

Probable starting line-ups for the game:

### "Lower" Section

Ed Yehle, Eddington, ss; Walt Poston, Cornwells, 3b; Bill Lamont, Cornwells, c; Bernie Stiles, Edenton of Harry Cooper, Humelville, 1b; Johnny Becker, Humelville, lf; Bill Vansant, Bensalem, 2b; Fred Yeager, Bensalem, rf; Bob White, Cornwells, p.

### "Upper" Section

Lou Tomlinson, Calvary, ss; "Chart" Tomlinson, Calvary, 2b; Dan Shadley, St. James, 3b; Dan Fluehr, Franklin, c; Marie Hart, Calvary, 1b; "Dazzie" DeLise, Ch. of Saviour, rf; "Bud" Wright, St. James, lf; Calvin Solla, Ch. of Saviour, of; Johnny Jones, Presbyterian, p.

### MOOST SUED MAN

FALLS CITY, Neb. — (INS) — A dead man, who never lived in Falls City, is the city's "most sued man."

The 40th judgment entered in the last two years against J. E. Burbank brings the total well up into the hundreds. "Old J. E." was a member of the original town company that pre-empted the site of Falls City from the federal government in 1856. Hundreds of titles to local property were transferred from Burbank to early purchasers.

As a consequence when lawyers find defects in titles to real estate, they institute quiet-title proceedings, naming everyone who might have claimed an interest—from "old J. E." on down. Although Burbank was chairman of the town board and spent much time in Falls City, he resided at Leavenworth, Kas.

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the afternoon and the entire

team fielded splendidly. Palumbo, Bert Barbetta, and Lou Mari han-

dled 18 chances with but one error

white in the outfield. "Lou" Sassi

pulled the fielding gem when he

made a gloved-hand catch of Joe

Roe's bid for a hit in the eighth in-

ning. The hit was labelled for at

least double or triple.

"Cameo" Breslin, of the losers,

was a bad break in the fourth

inning. "Cameo" caught hold of one

of Keegan's pitches and lined it into

deep left. Ciatella made a hard try

and got his hands on the ball but it

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St. Ann's had two double-plays

## CORNWELLS DEFEATS CALVARY IN OPENER

Making the most of their hits, and capitalizing on every opportunity, Cornwells Methodist went out in front in the battle with Calvary for the championship of the Lower Bucks Church Softball League when they trounced their rivals, 10-3, in the "series" opener at Croydon Saturday afternoon.

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Score by innings:

Calvary ..... 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3

Cornwells ..... 0 0 1 1 3 0 2 3 \*-10

Winning pitcher: Abe.

Losing pitcher: Hart.